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CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. An illustrative drug card, comprising:

an illustrative portion, where the illustrative portion includes a list of medications used by a patient, with the list represented by an illustration of each medication;

a visually-aided instruction on when to administer a medication listed in the list of medications; and

a visually-aided instruction on how to administer a medication listed in the list of medications.

- 2. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the illustrative drug card is foldable into a wallet sized booklet.
- 3. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the illustrative drug card is a magnet.
 - 4. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the illustration of each medication is a photograph.
 - 5. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the illustration of each medication is a pouch, where an actual medication may be placed.
 - 6. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the visually-aided instruction on when to administer a medication includes a symbol representing a time of a day.
 - 7. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 6, wherein the symbol representing a time of a day includes an item selected from a group consisting of a sun, moon, and stars.

8. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, wherein the visually-aided instruction on how to administer a medication is a symbol representing what to administer with the medication.

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9. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 8, wherein the symbol representing what to administer with the medication includes an item selected from a group consisting of a liquid and food.

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- 10. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, further comprising patientspecific allergy information on the illustrative portion.
- 11. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, further comprising contact information on the illustrative portion.

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12. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, further comprising medication interaction precautions on the illustrative portion.

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13. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 1, further comprising brail on the illustrative portion, whereby blind patients may read the illustrative drug card through the brail.

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14. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 2, wherein the illustration of each medication is a photograph.

15. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 14, wherein the visually-aided instruction on when to administer a medication includes a symbol representing a time of a day.

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- 16. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 15, wherein the symbol representing a time of a day includes an item selected from a group consisting of a sun, moon, and stars.
- 17. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 16, wherein the visually-aided instruction on how to administer a medication is a symbol representing what to administer with the medication.
- 18. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 17, wherein the symbol representing what to administer with the medication includes an item selected from a group consisting of a liquid and food.
- 19. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 18, further comprising patientspecific allergy information on the illustrative portion.
- 20. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 19, further comprising contact information on the illustrative portion.
 - 21. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 20, further comprising medication interaction precautions on the illustrative portion.
 - 22. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 21, further comprising brail on the illustrative portion, whereby blind patients may read the illustrative drug card through the brail.
- 23. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 3, wherein the illustration of each medication is a photograph.
 - 24. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 23, wherein the visually-aided instruction on when to administer a medication includes a symbol representing a time of a day.

25. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 24, wherein the symbol representing a time of a day includes an item selected from a group consisting of a sun, moon, and stars.

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26. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 25, wherein the visually-aided instruction on how to administer a medication is a symbol representing what to administer with the medication.

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27. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 26, wherein the symbol representing what to administer with the medication includes an item selected from a group consisting of a liquid and food.

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28. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 27, further comprising patientspecific allergy information on the illustrative portion.

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29. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 28, further comprising contact information on the illustrative portion.

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30. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 29, further comprising medication interaction precautions on the illustrative portion.

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31. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 30, further comprising brail on the illustrative portion, whereby blind patients may read the illustrative drug card through the brail.

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32. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 3, wherein the illustration of each medication is a pouch, where an actual medication may be placed.

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- 33. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 32, wherein the visually-aided instruction on when to administer a medication includes a symbol representing a time of a day.
- 5 34. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 33, wherein the symbol representing a time of a day includes an item selected from a group consisting of a sun, moon, and stars.
 - 35. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 34, wherein the visually-aided instruction on how to administer a medication is a symbol representing what to administer with the medication.
 - 36. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 35, wherein the symbol representing what to administer with the medication includes an item selected from a group consisting of a liquid and food.
 - 37. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 36, further comprising patientspecific allergy information on the illustrative portion.
- 38. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 37, further comprising contact information on the illustrative portion.
 - 39. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 38, further comprising medication interaction precautions on the illustrative portion.
 - 40. An illustrative drug card as set forth in claim 39, further comprising brail on the illustrative portion, whereby blind patients may read the illustrative drug card through the brail.

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